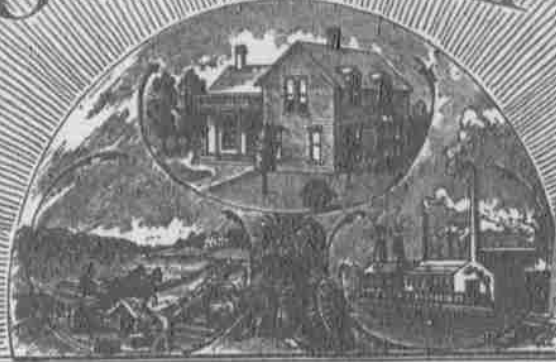


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BUTTERMAKERS TO MEET

The National Organization's Plans for the Topeka Meeting.

The National Creamery Buttermakers' Association will hold its annual meeting at Topeka during the week beginning February 21. It will be one of the most instructive meetings ever held in Kansas. A very large attendance is assured and Kansas people are very wisely determining to take advantage of the opportunities offered by its assemblage here. A fair idea of the good things in store for those who attend may be obtained from the following program:

Monday, February 21.—Meetings of the delegates and assigning their places and final arrangement of exhibit hall.

Tuesday, 2:30 p. m.—Grand parade by the delegates, meeting the official train and escorting the officers and delegates to the hall. Call to order, music, invocation; address of welcome in behalf of the State's Governor J. W. Leedy; address of welcome in behalf of the city, Mayor C. A. Fellows; address of welcome in behalf of the Kansas State agricultural interests, Hon. F. D. Coburn; address of welcome in behalf of the creameries, C. H. Pattison; response, H. J. Nietert, Walker, Ia.; president's address, Irwin Paul; secretary and treasurer's report and appointing of committees.

Tuesday, 7:30 p. m.—Song, J. G. Lumbard, Omaha, Neb.; address, W. K. Boardman, Nevada, Ia.; "Influences of Occupation," F. S. Blaney, Abilene, Kas.; "Feeding and Development of the Dairy Cow" (illustrated by stereopticon views), Prof. Clinton D. Smith, Michigan; music.

Wednesday, 1:30 p. m.—Buttermakers' Day—Maintaining a Harmonious Co-operation Between Buttermaker and Patrons, W. Ashby, Hazelton, Ia.; "State Aid for Dairying," Maj. Henry E. Alvord, Washington, D. C.; "The Use of Gasoline Engines as Power for Creameries and Skimming Stations," Chas. Harding, Norfolk, Neb.; examination of buttermakers' class.

Wednesday, 7:30 p. m.—Entertainment furnished by Topeka Commercial club.

Thursday, 10:30 a. m.—Patrons' Day—"Selecting the Dairy Cow," Prof. T. L. Haecker, St. Anthony Park, Minn. This lecture will be illustrated by five or ten living types of cows.

Thursday, 1:30 p. m.—"The Value of Skim Milk for Calf Raising," Prof. Chas. F. Curtis, Ames, Ia.; "The Production of Milk," Prof. H. M. Cottrell, Manhattan, Kas.; "Kansas and Its Possibilities as a Dairy State," J. Dixon Avery, Chicago, Ill.; "Pasteurizing for Buttermaking," H. E. Schuknect, Albert Lea, Minn.; "Rural Institutes," H. M. Brandt, Canton, Kas.

Thursday, 7:30 p. m.—Music; "Eastern Markets and Western Butter," J. J. McDonald, Philadelphia, Pa.; "The Dairy Farmer and His Cow," ex-Gov. W. D. Hoard, Fort Atkinson, Wis.; music; election of officers.

Friday, 11 a. m.—Sale of butter.

Friday, 1:30 p. m.—Addresses by the butter judges; "The Creamery Industry in Oklahoma," P. E. Nissley, El Reno, Okla.; "The Creamery Industry in South Dakota," M. Myers, Huron, S. D.; "How Can We Interest Patrons More in the Care of Cows and Milk?"

IT'S HANNA.

M. A. Hanna's Selection For United States Senator

Is Confirmed by the Legislature on Joint Ballot.

HAD MAJORITY OF ONE

Vote Was Unchanged From That of Yesterday.

He Is Chosen For Long and Short

WHY HE OPPOSED Speaker of the House Offered Hanna Money

BRIBERY STILL CHARGED One Says He Personally Knows of an Instance

Columbus, O., Jan. 12—x—x—x

A VERIFICATION.

One of Hanna's Miners: "How true the Scriptures is—Them as has, gets."



G. L. Hubbell, Waukon, Ia.; miscellaneous business; adjournment.

LIST OF PRIZES.

The money to be expended in prizes amounts to \$3,400, of which \$3,000 will be divided pro rata among all exhibitors of butter who score 95 or over. Those who are not buttermakers have a chance at \$50. The association offers \$35 for the delegation making the best appearance in the parade and \$15 to second best. The list as prepared by the secretary follows:

For the best package of separator butter, a gold medal valued at \$100 and cash \$50.

For the best package of gathered cream butter, a gold medal valued at \$50; cash \$50.

For the second best package of separator butter, a silver medal valued at \$30; cash \$15.

For the second best package of gathered cream butter, a silver medal valued at \$20; cash \$10.

In addition to the above valuable prizes, the sum of \$3,000 will be divided pro rata among all scoring 95 or over. The packages securing medals will not share in the pro rata premium.

The association will also give a diploma of merit, which will be a work of art, to the exhibitors whose butter scores 90 or over.

Besides the above prizes on butter, the association offers to the highest score obtained in the buttermakers' contest a cash prize of \$15; second best \$10.

To the buttermakers entering the buttermakers' class: To the one having the highest percentage of scores a cash prize of \$12.50 will be given; to the second best \$7.50, and the third \$5.

To the best appearing delegation in the parade the association will give a premium of \$35 cash, and to the second best appearing delegation \$15 in cash.

Under the rules no side or special premiums are accepted by the association.

SPECIAL FEATURES.

Buttermakers' Contest.—A contest, six buttermakers participating, will be in progress during the forenoons of the 23d, 24th and 25th. Each buttermaker is to make one churning. Two each day. The cream will be delivered to them slightly soured. They are then expected

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BAKER VOTES FOR GOLD.

The United States Senate Passes the Teller Silver Resolution.

The fight in the Senate over the Teller resolution was ended last Friday with a victory for silver men. The debate was of the usual sort and was rather warm at times. The most interesting feature is the vote. One amendment declared that it is the duty of the government to maintain the parity in value of gold and silver money so that the dollar of one metal shall be equal to the dollar of any other metal. It was tabled on motion of Senator Vest, by a vote of 43 to 37. Senator Baker voted against tabling the amendment while Senator Harris voted aye.

The Lodge amendment declared "That all the bonds of the United States issued or authorized to be issued under the said acts of Congress heretofore recited are payable, principal and interest, in gold coin or its equivalent; and that any other payment without the consent of the creditor would be in violation of the public faith and in derogation of his rights."

This brought on a square test and line up on the question of approving the gold standard. The vote was as follows:

Yeas—Aldrich, Baker, Caffery, Cul-lom, Davis, Fairbanks, Foraker, Gallinger, Gear, Hale, Hanna, Hawley, Hoar, Lodge, McBride, McMillan, Mason, Morrill, Penrose, Platt (Conn.), Platt (N. Y.), Sewell, Wellington, Wetmore.—24. Nays—Allen, Bacon, Bate, Berry, Butler, Cannon, Carter, Chandler, Chilton, Clark, Clay, Cockrell, Daniel, Gray, Hansbrough, Harris, Heitfeld, Jones, (Ark.), Kenney, Kyle, Lindsay, McEnery, McLaurin, Mallory, Mantle, Martin, Mills, Mitchell, Money, Morgan, Murphy, Nelson, Pascoe, Perkins, Pettigrew, Pettus, Pritchard, Quay, Rawlins, Roach, Shoup, Smith, Stewart, Teller, Thurston, Tillman, Turner, Turpie, Vest, Warren, White, Willson, Wolcott.—53.

Those who did not vote were Allison and Burrows. The following pairs were announced, the first in each case being for silver: Turley with Deboe, Faulkner with Elkins, Gorman with Frye, Jones (Nev.) with Proctor, Waltham with Spooner.

Senator Quay's amendment providing that bonds should be payable in the "higher money of the world" was tabled by a vote of 47 to 31. Senator Hoar's amendment providing that the debt should not be paid in "depreciated currency or in any money other than the best money in the world" was tabled by a vote of 42 to 32. Senator Spooner presented an amendment which was a copy of the finance plank in the last Republican national platform and it went to the table by a vote of 44 to 33.

The Teller resolution, which has previously been given in these columns, is an exact copy of the Stanley Matthews resolution which was adopted in 1878. It was passed by a vote of 47 to 32. Carter, Chandler, Clark, Mantle, Pritchard and Wolcott are Republicans who supported McKinley, who voted for silver in all cases.

The Senate committee on postoffices took up postal savings bank legislation last week and instructed Senators Mason and Butler to prepare a bill which should supplant all bills introduced and be a basis for future consideration of this legislation. Postmaster General Gary favors a 2 per cent. interest rate.